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Reply To  
Attn Of: ECO-088

Elaine J. Zieroth, District Ranger  
Bonners Ferry Ranger District  
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Re: Katka Peak Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement  
Kit Katkee Salvage Project

Dear Ms Zieroth:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has received the Draft Supplement to Katka Peak Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Kit Katkee Salvage Project for review in accordance with our responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act and under Section 309 of the Clean Air Act.

EPA, Region 10 has used a screening tool to conduct a limited review of the draft supplemental final EIS. Based upon the screen, we do not foresee having any environmental objections to the proposed project. Therefore, we will not be conducting a detailed review of the draft supplemental final EIS.

If you have any questions, please contact me in Seattle at 206/553-8574.

Sincerely,

Richard B. Parkin, Manager  
Geographic Implementation Unit

cc: Barry Wynsma, Project Leader

*Our abbreviated review has revealed no  
EPA concerns on this project.*